

PROMINENT CITIZEN PASSES ON

W. A. McDonald, Native Of
Tennessee—Resident of
Bay St. Louis Past Forty
Years Dies at Age of
Seventy-Eight

William Albert McDonald, 78 years old, passed away quietly at his North Beach home on Tuesday, January 18 at 12:30 a. m. following an illness of about ten days.

He was a native of Middleton, Tennessee, and a resident of this city for more than 40 years. He was head of the firm of W. A. McDonald and Sons which he organized shortly after coming to Bay St. Louis, and which now has territory extending over three states.

Mr. McDonald was an evident part of the community and served as alderman when the city had aldermanic form of Government and stood for all civic improvements and for right living and his far reaching charities were known to few other than himself and the person helped. He had a keen consciousness of the needs of others and a broad understanding of and sympathy for the adversities of his fellow man. His inner life might have been written in a short sentence, "He was understanding and kind." There are many besides his loved ones who will miss and mourn him.

Mr. McDonald was one of the disappearing group of individuals who expressed frankly his opinion without malice and without offense and never hesitating to condemn what he considered wrong but was just as quick to commend what he considered right.

He served on the board of trustees of city schools, was a shiner, a Knight Templar and served as head of the Bay St. Louis Lodge F. & A. M. He was honorary chairman of the Board of Stewards of the Methodist Church.

The funeral was held from his late residence on Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. with services at the home, at the Main Street Methodist Church by the Rev. E. E. Samples, pastor, assisted by Rev. George Stephenson, a nephew of Mrs. McDonald and rector of St. Peters By-the-Sea Episcopal Church at Gulfport. Mrs. E. E. Samples sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" as part of the service. He was laid to rest in Cedar Rest Cemetery beneath a wealth of floral offerings and rests beside his only daughter.

He is survived by his wife the former Miss Enda Stephenson of Holly Springs, two sons C. C. McDonald, Bay St. Louis; Lieutenant John J. McDonald, U. S. N. R., Corpus Christi, Texas; three sisters Mrs. W. I. Cowart, Mrs. P. E. Mitchell and Miss Nellie McDonald of Memphis, and Middleton; two brothers Andrew McDonald of Middleton and Fred McDonald of Shelby; two granddaughters Miss Mary McDonald Kittrell, a student at Randolph-Macon College; Mrs. Jeanette McDonald Garner, Holly Springs; four grandsons, Lieutenant David N. McDonald, Army, Fort McClellan, Alabama; C. McDonald, Jr., Naval Training Unit V-12, Louisville, Ky.; Fred and Jimmy McDonald, Bay St. Louis. He also leaves two great-grand children, children of Mrs. Garner.

Those serving as pallbearers were Messrs. Rene deMondulzin, Joseph O. Maufrey, Dr. J. A. Evans, Leo W. Seal, John K. Edwards, E. S. Drake, W. L. Bourgeois, Wilbur Driver, Oscar Bragg, Bay St. Louis and Albert Westbrook, Ocean Springs.

Among relatives here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Cowart, Mrs. P. E. Mitchell, from Memphis; his sister Miss Nellie McDonald with him during his illness; his brother Fred McDonald and daughter Mrs. T. H. Ralford Shelby; Mrs. John J. McDonald, Texas; Miss Maxine Mitchell, Jackson.

Among out-of-town friends here were Mrs. A. L. Stoke, Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mrs. Addie Heiderman and daughter, Gulfport; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Marshall, New Orleans.

Promoted to Private First Class

Camp Elliott, San Diego, Calif., Jan. 19—Private First Class William Horace Ruhr, U. S. Marine, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ruhr, 164 Nicholson Avenue, Waveland, Miss., has recently been promoted from private to his present rank at the Training Center here.

Private First Class Ruhr, born April 20, 1924, at Waveland, enlisted in the Marine Corps April 23, 1942. He was graduated from the Bay St. Louis Central High School in 1941, where he earned two letters in football.

Before entering the Marine Corps he was a shipping clerk for the Mac Smith Garment Company of Gulfport, Miss.

BROTHERS IN SERVICE



CHAS. VALLORY



GLADWYN VALLORY

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vallory have two sons in Service, Charles and Gladwyn. Both of these boys are in the United States Army.

Highway Commissioner To Be In Office At Hattiesburg Each Friday

We are in receipt of a letter from Honorable Mundell Bush, Highway Commissioner, of the Southern District asking that we make an announcement as to his office days so that the people of his district will be in a position to contact him. Mr. Bush's letter is self explanatory, so we are quoting it in full herewith:

January 15, 1944
Mr. A. G. Favre, Editor
The Sea Coast Echo
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi
Dear Mr. Favre:

My duties as Highway Commissioner are such that it is necessary for me to be out in the District a great part of the time. However, beginning next week, it is my plan to be in my office here in Hattiesburg every Friday for the convenience of the people of the Southern District who desire to discuss highway business with me. In order that the people may know of this, I would appreciate your making this announcement in your newspaper for me.

"In beginning my four year term as Highway Commissioner of the Southern District, I would like to express to the people of this District my appreciation for the confidence and trust granted me on November 2. I want to serve you people to the very best of my ability. For the convenience of those who desire to discuss highway business with me, I will be in my office on the Sixth Floor of the Carter Building, in Hattiesburg every Friday."

Thanking you for this, and with kindest regards, I am

Cordially yours,

MUNDELL BUSH
Highway Commissioner
Southern District.

Necessity of Blood Plasma

The January issue of the Tide and Till carries a cover picture of Private Stanford J. Schultz of this city giving his blood for the blood plasma bank at the bleeding center of the Indianapolis Chapter American Red Cross.

The article in the magazine says "Wounded in action while in Burma, he was administered blood plasma on the battlefield. Well realizing the move to the United States and substance, Private Schultz, after his recovery, convalescence at Billings General Hospital, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, desired to make possible the replacing of the plasma he had received."

Private Schultz is a son of the late Louis Joseph Schultz and Mrs. Schultz of this city. He has been in the Army for three years and has a brother Andrew somewhere in England. Private Schultz is in Billings General Hospital after being in combat duty in India and being wounded. He remained in the hospital for three months before being sent to the States. He is 20 years of age and has a wife and baby in Alexandria, La.

MEETING OF BAY- WAVELAND GARDEN CLUB HELD ON THURSDAY

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club met on Thursday, January 13, at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. T. Boyd with Mrs. R. N. Blaize and Miss Lucy Richardson entertaining with Mrs. Boyd.

In the absence of Mrs. Frank Kiefer, the president, Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, vice president, presided. Mrs. George R. Rea, Bay St. Louis chairman for the Fourth War Loan Drive, talked to the group on the drive and it was decided that the club would sponsor a tea to promote the sale of bonds. The date was set for Wednesday, February 2, from 3 to 5 p. m. at the Episcopal Parish House. A quota was given the club.

Mrs. Edward Anderson asked the cooperation of the club for a War Loan night at Orthe's Theatre and the club agreed to be one of the sponsors.

Mrs. Gayle Aiken and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson talked on some of the work they had done in canning and the success they had and suggested that the club put on a community canning program. Mrs. G. Y. Blaize offered the use of the lunch room kitchen for the canning.

An original, interesting and informative paper was read by Mrs. Roy Baxter, Sr., on Roses: Their Culture and Care.

Mrs. Kenneth Knoblock, program chairman, introduced Dr. Leroy Bursley from the Merchant Marine Cadet Base school at Henderson Point who presented Cadet Midshipman Duncan who talked on the Blood Plasma Bank to be held here on January 20. Cadet Duncan gave his personal experience and what the Blood Plasma did for him and others and what the men in service suffered when the plasma could not be secured. Having enough plasma and getting it to the fighting fronts was the great important consideration now he said.

Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

There were several guests among whom were Mesdames Will Hayes, Norman Rau, Howard Smith and L. E. Robichaux.

LADIES PLEASE READ!

"Dear Johnny Doughboy:

Today I bought you a Valentine! You are so far away, and I am so anxious to have you home again, that my Valentine to you this year is an extra WAR BOND.

I was invited and attended the WAR BOND TEA, given by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club. You know Johnny dear, that the first week in February, is Women's Activity Week and the Garden Club sponsored this Tea. We women at home are so anxious to do our parts, I thought perhaps that I would buy a darling new hat that was so becoming to me, but decided that I would wait until you returned, and have a spanking new one to greet you with, so I bought an extra War Bond to make your return one day nearer.

Dear Johnny...

And haven't all of us women a 'dear Johnny' in this War? Be he a husband, brother, or son. And we do want him home just one day sooner. There is one way that we can accomplish his speedy return, and that is to buy as many Bonds as is humanly possible. Not as many as we can afford. Can Johnny Jones afford to give his life? Can Sammy Smith afford his shattered nerves, or loss of sight? So we say again as pass as is humanly possible. Let us pass our new spring outfits this year. Let's not put those new drapes at the windows, Let's just BUY BONDS. And when Johnny does come marching home again, how justifiably proud we will feel when we say "with all my love I bought an extra Bond for your Valentine this year."

So to all of the women of Hancock County, we are extending the invitation to join us on the second of February, from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. at the Parish House of the Episcopal Church on the corner of the Beach and Carroll Avenue to

BUY A BOND FOR JOHNNY

Annual Parish Meeting and Church Supper Held At Episcopal Parish House

The annual parish meeting and church supper of the Episcopal Church was held Thursday evening in the Parish House with a large number of members present.

The summary of the year's work of the Vestry, Guild and Church School was given by Rev. Warwick Aiken, Mr. Aiken named Mr. Octave Delph as senior warden to succeed L. T. Boyd and presented the newly elected president of the Guild, Mrs. J. R. Rollins.

He also gave the Plans of the church congregation for 1944. The supper was served and a social hour was enjoyed.

BOND DRIVE OPENS

Volunteer Workers Set Out To Sell County Quota Of \$300,000.00

Hancock County started on Tuesday to raise its quota of \$300,000.00 in the Fourth War Loan Drive. Volunteer workers throughout the county have joined in the effort to get every person throughout the county who is able to purchase a war bond to do so. The county has an E Bond quota of \$150,000.00.

The Fourth War Loan Drive will end February 15th. However, Mr. W. Scott Morrill, War Loan Drive Chairman for Hancock County, is working together with the many volunteers in an effort to reach our quota as soon as possible. Our quota is set and, of course, we must not let up until we have reached it. The money is here and all that is necessary to be done is to have the people invest it.

As the war progresses and we take more territory, the cost increases. We must "back the attack" of our fighting men to the fullest. The least we can do is to put every dollar not needed for actual living expenses into the world's safest investment—United States War Bonds.

The drive opened on the date of Governor Tom Bailey's inauguration, and the new Chief Executive threw added weight behind the drive by making his first official act that of endorsing the drive in a proclamation.

Reports of the progress of the drive will be made regularly. The various communities and the colored volunteer organization have been assigned quotas.

Mr. Morrill, County War Bond Chairman, stated that Hancock County had a wonderful War Bond record and that it would be a new glory for the county if we could win one of the States' War Bond Emmetts. The "E" Bond Emmett will be awarded to the ten counties throughout the State of Mississippi selling the highest percentage of "E" Bonds. The county must qualify, however, by meeting its regular quota assigned to it.

In Bay St. Louis the Women's Committee has opened booths for the sale of Bonds, at the office of the Mississippi Power Co., Fahey Drug Store and Hotel Reed.

May we ask that you not wait until you are solicited to purchase a bond. Everyone should feel that it is their duty to buy bonds if they have any money available and no one should wait to be asked to do so.

It is the best investment that anyone can make.

HANCOCK CHAPTER AMERICAN RED CROSS MET ON TUESDAY

The Hancock County Chapter of the American Red Cross met on Tuesday afternoon.

The year's work for 1943 was reviewed and plans discussed for the new year.

The following officers were re-elected for 1944: Walter J. Gex, Chairman; H. Grady Perkins, vice chairman; Mrs. J. Roland Weston, second vice chairman; Mrs. C. Y. Blaize recording secretary; Roy Baxter, Sr. treasurer.

The Red Cross drive will open on March 1 with a quota of \$93,000.00. Mrs. Roger Boh has been named county chairman for the drive. Plans for publicity and other means of putting on the drive were discussed.

OES CHAPTER NO. 129 OFFICERS INSTALLED

The recently elected officers for the Bay St. Louis Chapter No. 129 OES were installed on Thursday night with Mrs. Josie Rankin of Gulfport installing officer. Mrs. W. E. Dee, Gulfport, installing marshal and Mrs. Fred Wright, Gulfport, installing chaplain, conducting the ceremony.

The following officers were installed: Mrs. Ola Robbins, worthy matron; Dr. J. A. Evans, worthy patron; Mrs. Mary Schilling, associate matron; J. P. Drake, worthy patron; Mrs. Valda Boyd Evans, secretary; E. S. Drake, treasurer; Miss Barbara Sick, conductress; Mrs. Lucille Anderson, associate conductress; Mrs. Betty Boyd Shipp, chaplain; Mrs. Lena Stockstill, organist. The Star Points are Mrs. Florence Mitchell, Ada; Mrs. Corinne Muller, Ruth; Mrs. Lena Stockstill, Esther; Miss Hilda Sick, Martha; Mrs. Nellie Nelson, Electa.

ENGINEER



PVT. HOLLIS JONES

Pvt. Hollis Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Jones of Caesar is in an Armored Engineer Battalion United States Army.

Proclamation

TO THE CITIZENS OF MISSISSIPPI

As Governor of our State, it will be my purpose to lend every possible aid within my power in successfully prosecuting the war to a hastening and triumphant end. My first official act, upon becoming Mississippi's 48th Governor, is to challenge Mississippians to put their time, energies and resources behind the Fourth War Loan which begins throughout the nation today.

Our hopes, our prayers, our loved ones and our future are all involved in this fight for democracy, decency and peace. As a united people, it behooves every citizen to support our cause unselfishly, and I deem the success of this drive as being vital to victory.

Mississippians yield to none in their patriotism and loyalty to our country. We have made enviable records in previous War Loan drives. The one which begins today is but another opportunity for us to maintain our high standard of achievement. I am confident Mississippians will again do their duty to our state and nation.

With this full faith in Mississippians, I call upon them to meet the challenge of the Fourth War Loan with relentless work and sacrificial purchase of War Bonds until our state's \$53,000,000.00 goal is won.

"LET'S ALL BACK THE ATTACK."

Thos. L. Bailey
Governor

Jan. 18, 1944

BROTHERS IN SERVICE



PVT. RUSSELL LAFONTAINE



PVT. MONROE LAFONTAINE

Privates Monroe and Russell Lafontaine sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Lafontaine of Lakeshore, are in the United States Army.

Womans Society of Christian Service Meets

The Womans Society of Christian Service met on Tuesday, January 18 at the home of Mrs. Horace Farr with Mesdames F. J. Nelson, Lucille Anderson and Eugene Davis entertaining with Mrs. Farr.

The opening prayer was given by Mrs. C. M. Shipp. The devotional was given by Mrs. Shipp and Mrs. McCoy.

Mrs. Sam Whitfield outlined the year's program and appointed the leaders.

A letter was read from Mrs. John Ciriot, zone president, calling attention to the activities for the first quarter and saying that the society's financial returns for 1943 had gone over the top.

Mrs. J. D. Bragg, president Womans Division of Christian Service wrote the society of their part in the Crusade for the New World Order.

A donation of \$12.00 was made to the Red Cross for overseas kits for the boys in service from the National Church.

The meeting was closed with Mrs. Sam Whitfield giving the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served and the social hour was enjoyed.

Colmer Seeks Income Simplification

Washington, D. C. (Special)—Congressman Wm. M. Colmer (Democrat—Mississippi), who himself voted against the present complicated income tax bill, stated upon his return to Washington this week that the people of the country were "worried, vexed, awed, and almost ready to revolt over the prospects of having to fill out these complicated and almost impossible tax returns."

He called upon Senator George, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, and Congressman Doughton, Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, to make provision in the pending tax bill for the simplification of the tax returns that are now being sent out; and he urged that such action be made retroactive to cover the 1943 tax payment. He told the Chairmen of these taxing Committees that this action should take precedence over everything else, including the new tax bill.

The Mississippian referred to a statement which he made when the Tax Bill was being considered in May of last year that if the bill was enacted into law, "it will not be workable and the greatest howl that has ever gone up from the American people about the Government's requirement of filing reports, etc., would be evidenced as a result of the passage of this bill."

CARNIVAL BALL PLANS OUTLINED

Meeting of Organization Held Wednesday Evening At S. J. A. Gym.

A meeting of the local Carnival Organization, sponsored by the Mothers Club of St. Joseph Academy was held on Wednesday evening for the purpose of formulating plans for the Annual Carnival Ball. There were present Mother Claire, Mrs. H. L. Kergosien, president of the Mothers Club who presided, Sisters Raphael and Cornelia, Mrs. F. J. Bopp, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Betzer, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Favre, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gex, Mrs. B. N. Dodson, Miss May H. Edwards, Brother Felician, Ed Carriere, Dr. J. A. Evans, H. L. Kergosien, Leo Seal.

The date of the Ball was set for February 19 at 8:30 p. m. in Saint Joseph Memorial Hall. Admission 50 cents.

Dr. J. A. Evans was elected president of the association and H. L. Kergosien secretary and the following committees were appointed: Dr. J. A. Evans, general chairman; Mrs. Kergosien, co-chairman, Court Committee; A. G. Favre, chairman, Mrs. Ben Dodson, Mrs. Leo Ford, Mrs. L. M. Gex and Leo Seal; Ticket Committee, Mrs. A. B. Vassili, chairman, Mesdames E. L. Betzer, A. P. Smith, M. A. Gilmore and H. W. Le Tissier; Floor Committee: Ed Carriere chairman, E. L. Betzer and Roger Boh, Co-chairman; Decorations Mrs. Ed Carriere, chairman, Miss Kathleen Renshaw, Mrs. Charles Clark, Brother Felician, M. A. Phillips, L. M. Gex, and H. L. Kergosien; Flower committee: Mrs. A. G. Favre, chairman, Mrs. F. J. Bopp and Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux; Lighting: George Stevenson, chairman; refreshments: Mrs. Anthony Trapani, chairman; Cloak Room: Miss Louise Armstrong, chairman; Publicity: Miss May H. Edwards, chairman, Mrs. George Stevenson and Mrs. Charles G. Mooreau.

This ball is sponsored and staged each year for the building fund of St. Joseph Academy which is a most worthy cause and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. At this time of stress and strain this ball should furnish an escape from the many crosses that mothers and fathers are now carrying and should be welcomed as such.

GETS PROMOTION

Lukey F. Benigno, 21, of Bay St. Louis, Miss., has won an early promotion in the Navy as result of his past civilian training. Because he has had sufficient experience in a trade essential in the Navy, he was advanced to the rating of hospital apprentice first class upon completing his recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Now home on leave, he will report back to the station for reassignment to active duty aboard a naval warship or to some naval shore station.

"Stretching Meat Points" Demonstration Held

A "Stretching Meat Points" Demonstration sponsored by the Mississippi Agriculture Extension Service will be held on Monday, January 24, from 10 a. m. to noon in the basement of the First Methodist Church at Gulfport. Miss Ruth Chambers, National Livestock and Meat Board of Chicago, assisted by Miss May Hadden, State College, will demonstrate six low point meat dishes and suggest others.

This is open to those interested from Jackson, Harrison and Hancock counties.

January Book Review for Tuesday, January 25

The Library Board, Bay Saint Louis-Hancock County Library, announces the January Book Review for Tuesday, January 25 at 3:15 p. m. at the Episcopal Parish House. Mrs. C. C. Henson, New Orleans, will review Gwen Bristow's new book "Tomorrow is Forever."

Mrs. Henson is well known here as a reviewer and the library board asks that all her friends be there to hear her give this review of a very fine book.

Appointed Assistant Clerk Draft Board

Mrs. Warren J. Carver has been appointed assistant clerk in the office of the local draft board, succeeding Miss Lavene Mollere, who has entered the Hotel Dieu School of Nursing. Mrs. Carver prior to her appointment was secretary to the County Health Officer.



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THE AMERICAN WAY

IT IS a great and glorious feeling to live in a country like ours. In a country where all have equal opportunities. One, where we and our children through our own endeavors can ascend to great heights in worldly affairs. Individuals in this great country build their own careers. They have at this time every opportunity of education, the opportunity of public service, the freedom of belief and the rights of expression.

Many of the young men of this great nation whose parents were poor, have risen to great heights, both in business and political careers. Tuesday the people of Mississippi witnessed the inauguration of a new Governor, the Hon. Thos. L. Bailey of Meridian, and again we were able to see the rise of the poor farm boy to the highest office within the gift of the people of his home state.

Tom Bailey lived his early life on a farm in Webster County. Through his own efforts he attended college and was admitted to the Mississippi Bar. He has practiced law in Meridian for a great number of years and served as a member of the legislature from Lauderdale County for several terms. He was Speaker of the House of Representatives and his legislative work has been outstanding.

Recognizing the necessity of carrying on the war effort and realizing that we in this country must win this war in order that this great nation might continue to exist and that its people might continue to enjoy the opportunities that they have had in the past, his first official act as Governor of Mississippi was to issue a proclamation calling upon the people to put their time, energies and resources behind the Fourth War Loan Drive, and we quote from his proclamation:

"Our hopes, our prayers, our loved ones and our future are all involved in this fight for democracy, decency and peace. As a united people, it behooves every citizen to support our cause unselfishly and I deem the success of this drive as being vital to victory."

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Mississippi will again rise to the occasion. The people of Mississippi are going to respond to the appeal of their Governor, a man who knows the ways of life in this country, a man who has come from the bottom of the ladder to the top. Mississippi is not going to let men of the type of Tom Bailey down. They are going to back the war effort with all of their time and energies, so that in future generations the people of this great state may have the opportunities and realize ambitions such as our present governor has.

Accomplishments of this type by the young men of our country are what spur us on to greater things. Tom Bailey will make Mississippi a good governor. Men who have come up as he has do not fail, and Mississippians, a thoroughly patriotic people, will rally behind him. We in Hancock County should join hands and come to the front and respond to the appeal of our Governor and again rise to even greater heights in the Fourth War Loan Drive than we have in any other war effort.

HOW THE JAPS GOT OUR PLANES

THE report of General H. H. Arnold Commanding the Army Air Forces, reveals that when Japan struck at Honolulu, there were 913 combat planes at various bases outside of the United States.

Of these, 526 were strategically located to meet possible attack on the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands. These were divided 210 in Hawaii and 316 in the Philippines.

The attack upon Hickman and Wheeler fields on Oahu smashed our airdromes and caught most of our planes on the ground. Some hours later, a similar attack on Philippine bases destroyed 229 of the 316 planes under General MacArthur.

General Arnold reports that there were 35 B-17s, 30 medium and 8 light bombers, 220 fighters and 23 other planes on the Philippines and that, at the end of the first day of war, General MacArthur reported only 17 heavy bombers and approximately 70 fighters left.

The success of Japanese strategy, both in Hawaii and in the Philippines, is apparent. With 526 of our 1157 combat planes on the islands, we lost 350 in a few hours, or about one-third of our fighting strength.

The Japs got 121 out of 210 on Oahu and 229 out of 316 in the Philippines.

A BLESSING TO BUSINESS

SOLDIERS and sailors, coming home when the war is over, will not like to read stories about the huge profits that some contractors made out of the war.

It will be a good thing for the American way if the heads of business throughout the nation arrange it so that the service men will not read of millionaires created by war contracts.

If business men haven't sense enough to see this, it may be possible for proper renegotiation of contracts to arrange matters for them. If this occurs, renegotiation will be the greatest blessing that has come to business during the war.

The aerial offensive may not beat Hitler but it will do him little good.

The individual who has no faith in himself has no faith in anything.

The truth about the people on the home front is that they hardly know what war sacrifices are.



Poll Tax Due

Those who have not already paid their poll tax should keep in mind the fact that the first day of February is the last day for the payment of poll tax to keep in line for voting in the election of 1944—Congressional, Presidential and Supreme judge in the northern district.

Roberts Appointed

Governor Thomas L. Bailey moved his family into the Governor's Mansion last week. The Murphrees did not occupy the Mansion on account of the short time he would serve as Governor. The historic Governor's Mansion was first occupied by Gov. McNutt 102 years ago. In the century that it has been the home of the Governor it has been changed but little, except to be enlarged during the administration of Gov. Noel.

The Mocking Bird

A joint resolution will be introduced in the present session proposing to officially adopt the Mocking Bird as Mississippi State Bird. The mocking bird is typically a southern bird and abounds in this state. Several years ago the Club Women of the state passed a resolution designating the mocking bird but no legislative action was taken. Several states have adopted the mocking bird, among them being Arkansas, Florida, Tex., Tennessee and Nevada.

Press Legislation

The Mississippi Press Association sometime ago adopted a platform of progress advocating certain legislation, and a committee of editors met in Jackson last week to make plans for presenting the recommendations to the legislature at the present session. The Club Women also have a legislative program to be submitted and advocated at the present session.

To The Army

Roy Hathorn of Louisville has been granted a leave of absence as secretary of the State Hospital Commission.

To the People of this Community

YOU ARE IMPORTANT

There is no such thing as a "little investment" in the Fourth War Loan. Your \$25 or \$50 or \$100 Extra War Bond may not have great importance in your mind in making up a \$12 billion dollar total for individuals. But multiply yourself by 130,000,000 and then you see in real perspective how truly great each citizen becomes in raising national strength against the Nazis and the Japs.

Capt. Maurice Witherspoon, Navy chaplain aboard the Carrier Wasp when she sank, tells of a rescued wounded sailor, who, as he regained consciousness, asked: "Did I do my best?"

"That's the only question you, too, have to ask yourself when you decide the extent of your personal participation in the Fourth War Loan."

There undoubtedly will be large single purchases of War Bonds in this community, but yours—if it is "your best" will deserve equally the red, white and blue shield you are privileged to display in the window of your home.

So "Let's All Back the Attack."

THE EDITOR.

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mission in order that he may enter the army. During his absence the position will be filled by Mrs. W. A. Strong, Jr., of Louisville, whose husband is serving in the Navy.

Stolen Property Recovered

Commissioner Gilroy of the Highway Patrol announced last week that during the month of October the Patrol recovered stolen property to the value of \$25,985. Every month the Patrol makes many arrests for law violations and investigates many wrecks which take place on the highways, and they watch as closely as possible about traffic violations.

Dr. McDougal Appointed

Dr. L. L. McDougal of Booneville has been appointed superintendent of the Mississippi State Hospital at Whitfield, to succeed Dr. C. M. Speck, resigned. Dr. Speck was serving the

unexpired term of the late Dr. C. D. Mitchell, which is now taken up by Dr. McDougal. The unexpired term will terminate June first, 1944. Dr. McDougal is a prominent physician of Booneville, and has served as a member of the state board of health and was on the staff of Dr. Mitchell back of the administration of Governor Conner.

Raking Around—

Senator Carter Glass of Virginia celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary last week. He served in the House 20 years, was Secretary of the Treasury under Woodrow Wilson and has now been a member of the U. S. Senate since 1920. His present term will expire in 1943. Jefferson Davis, who has been on the staff of Gen. Greek-Rice, state department of justice, is joining the Navy. He is not resigning and will return to his position after being

discharged from the Navy. A temporary successor will be named by Gen. Rice. Gov. Murphree has appointed Whitney Smith, of Glen-dora, as a member of the Yazoo-Mississippi Levee Board. An election has been ordered in Walthall County to elect a supervisor, the other election being a tie vote under a ruling of the Supreme Court handed down since the election. In Gov. Johnson's message read to the legislature last week it was stated that approximately 150,000 men from this state had gone into military service since 1940. The legislature of Georgia is in extraordinary session for the purpose of amending the absentee voting law of the state so that soldiers will have no difficulty in casting their ballots next year. The College Board in session in Jackson last week deferred election of college heads for the ensuing year, and it will probably await the new board in May.

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Lil Joe

Although "Lil Joe" completed 55 missions before coming in on two motors and blasted beyond repair, she is probably little different from many other gallant American bombers which are daily helping paralyze Nazi war production.

We have a special interest in the career of "Lil Joe" because it was piloted by one of United's men of war on many of its 55 missions, and on the last raid to the Ploesti field, heart of Nazi oil production.

Now at home fellow workers of the pilot of this famous plane are buying War Bonds to help replace "Lil Joe" and the other gallant planes being sacrificed in the battle for freedom. They are taking this means of paying tribute to United men in uniform—and to help make possible the never-ending line of planes, ships, tanks and guns that soon, we hope, will mean victory for freedom-loving people.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To John Anthony Hellmers, 3307 Chestnut Street, New Orleans, La., Mrs. Anna Hellmers Jacob, 7318 Birch Street, New Orleans, La.; Henry Hellmers, 1417 Rutland Avenue, Houston, Texas; Frederick Hellmers, 1907 Walker Avenue, Houston, Texas; Ada Hellmers Ash-ton, 1417 Rutland Avenue, Houston, Texas; Hilda Hellmers Dupuy, Texas City, Texas; Olivia Hellmers Stall, 4224 Banks Street, New Orleans, La.; Louise Hellmers Charbonnet, 1700 Valmont Street, New Orleans, La.; Katie Hellmers, 1417 Rutland Avenue, Houston, Texas; Mrs. Nellie Hellmers Cefalu, Amite, Louisiana; Richard Hellmers, Amite, Louisiana; Charles Hellmers, Amite, Louisiana; Ruth Hellmers Thompson, Amite, Louisiana; Agnes Hellmers Thompson, Amite, Louisiana; Robert E. Schneider, 221 S. Genois Street, New Orleans, La.; John Anton Schneider, 336 Brock-enbraugh Court, Metairie Ridge, La.; Frederick J. Schneider, 4322 Angeles Vista Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif.; Edna Schneider Roos, 4306 Bienville Street, New Orleans, La.; Josephine Schneider Guy, 4535 South Tonti Street, New Orleans, La.; Annie Schneider Davis, 421 S. Lopez Street, New Orleans, La.; Elise Jansen Shea, 2430 State Street, New Orleans, La.; Edna Jansen Assel, 613 N. Alexander Street, New Orleans, La.; Mrs. Alma Jansen Bonne, 321 North Bernadotte Street, New Orleans, La. You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944, to answer the petition in said Court of Emilie Hellmers, Executor of the Estate of Mrs. Katie Hellmers Hord, Deceased, same being a petition for authority to sell certain lands belonging to the estate of Mrs. Katie Hellmers Hord, Deceased wherein you are an heir at law.

This 13th day of January, A. D. 1944.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Mrs. Margaret Carre, Miss Margaret Carre, Miss Jane Carre, heirs at law of Tudor B. Carre, Deceased, and all unknown heirs at law of Tudor B. Carre, Deceased, and to all non-residents or unknown defendants and all persons claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit: Lot 30, Square 2, St. Charles Sub-division, Fourth Ward, Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Miss., as per map of said subdivision recorded in Vol. D-9, Pages 371-2, Deed Records of Hancock County, Miss.; sold by Tax Collector of said county on the First Wednesday of April, 1932, being the 6th day of said month, for the taxes due thereon for the year 1931.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944, to defend the suit No. 4759 in said Court of Mrs. Lou Os-nach.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm claimants tax title to said land above described, wherein you are a defendant.

This 28th day of December, A. D. 1943.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Clarence J. Cocke, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 30th day of December, 1943, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 4th day of January, A. D. 1944.
MRS. LUCILLE BERNARD COCKE, Executrix of the Estate of Clarence J. Cocke, Dec'd.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission Council of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, to be delivered to the Clerk of this Council not later than 10:00 o'clock A. M. on 7th day of February, 1944, for the furnishing to the City of Bay Saint Louis for a period of one year from date of the acceptance of said bid, the following, to-wit:

Concrete Gravel, Wash Road Gravel in accordance with Mississippi State Highway Department Specifications with Serial Designation G-5; Wash Pea Gravel, Mississippi State Highway Department Specifications with Serial Designation G-12; Concrete Sand and Bituminous Sand in accordance with Mississippi State Highway Specifications Section 120.14. Copies of said specifications are on file in the office of the Clerk of this Council.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the sum of \$2,000.00 as required by law, for the faithful performance of his contract.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive all formalities and award the contract to the best interest of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

The said materials shall be delivered as and when ordered at places in Bay Saint Louis to be designated by the Commission Council of said City.

This the third (3rd) day of January, A. D. 1944.
H. GRADY PERKINS, City Clerk, City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Johnny Brackins
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944 to defend the suit No. 4769 in said Court of Francis Reynold Brackins, wherein you are a defendant.

This 18th day of January, A. D. 1944.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Lena R. Baker
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944, to defend the suit No. 4760 in said Court of Frank Baker, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 28th day of December, A. D. 1943.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Donald Louis Dufresne
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944, to defend the suit No. 4768 in said Court of Mrs. Evelyn Carmen Dufresne, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 13th day of January, A. D. 1944.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the state of Lawrence Howard McCormick, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Miss., on January 10th, 1944, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claim to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date; failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 10th day of January, 1944.
EDNA FLORENCE MCCORMICK, Administratrix of the Estate of Lawrence Howard McCormick, Dec'd.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Theodore McMillan, Room 14, Longview State Hospital, Paddock Road, Cincinnati, Ohio.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1944, to defend the suit No. 4763 in said Court of Lug McMillan, et al wherein you are a Defendant.

This 6th day of January, A. D. 1944.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission Council of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, to be delivered to the Clerk of this Council not later than 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 7th day of February, 1944, for distributing asphalt and asphalt cement according to the Mississippi State Highway Department specifications on streets in Bay Saint Louis to be designated by the said Commission Council of said City, at any time and place so designated, for a period of one year from date of the acceptance of this bid.

The bidder shall bid only on the distribution of said materials.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the form and amount as provided for by law, for the faithful performance of his contract.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive all formalities and award the contract to the best interest of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

This the third (3rd) day of January, A. D. 1944.
H. GRADY PERKINS, City Clerk, City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

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The said materials shall be delivered as and when ordered at places in Bay Saint Louis to be designated by the Commission Council of said City.

This the third (3rd) day of January, A. D. 1944.
H. GRADY PERKINS, City Clerk, City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

Any excuse you can give for not upping your payroll will be taken into consideration.

ORTIE THEATRE
SUNDAY-MONDAY
"ALWAYS A BRIDES-MAID"

**With The Andrews Sisters
In Film Musical Entertainment Boasts Exceptional Cast**

Proclaimed as a jive-filled jam-boree, Universal's "Always a Bridesmaid" comes to Ortie Theatre Sunday and Monday. Starring the sensational Andrews Sisters, the new comedy musical takes its fun and rhythm from a combination of novel happenings which boogie-woogie a Lonely Hearts Club.

Supporting the famous sisters is a cast of talented performers, including Patric Knowles, Grace McDonald, Charles Butterworth, Billy Gilbert and Anne Rooney. The picture also presents those extraordinary juvenile favorites, The Jivin' Jacks and Jills.

Knowles and Miss McDonald are seen in romantic portrayals and, through mistaken identities, provide several action sequences said to be strictly hilarious. Appearing respectively as an assistant district attorney and as a secret operative of the police dept. the two players cross wires in a swindle investigation which involves the Lonely Hearts Club.

Funny Complications
Comedians Butterworth and Gilbert complicate the tangle with unexpected antics while a surprising story twist unites the Jivin' Jacks and Jills with the Andrews Sisters for a rousing musical finale.

The Sisters present five songs, named, "Ride On," "Thanks For the Buggy Ride," "Yoo-Hoo," "That's My Affair," and "As Long As I Have You." "Mr. Five by Five" is delivered by the Jivin' Jacks and Jills.

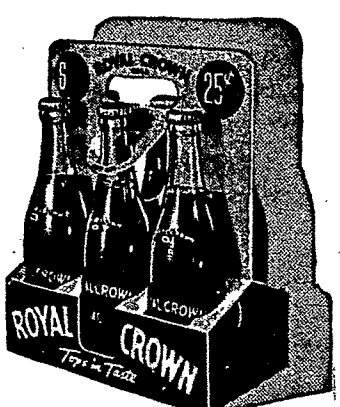
Mel Ronson authored the screen play as "Always a Bridesmaid." The original story was written by Oscar Brodney and the photograph by John W. Boyle is declared to be exceptionally effective. Dance director was Louis da Pron and Vic Schoen presided as musical director and arranger.

EXCHANGE OF TUBES
TO END

Jackson, Miss., January 15, 1944—Leland Speed, Chairman of Mississippi State Salvage Committee, announces that effective March 1, 1944 consumers will no longer be required to turn in collapsible tubes when purchasing shaving cream and toothpaste. The reason for this is because tubes now purchased by the public no longer contain any applicable amount of tin—in fact some of them are made exclusively of lead.

He requests all drug and chain stores that have five pounds or more of empty tubes on hand or accumulate this amount by March 1st, to send it Express charges collect to Tin Salvage Institute, 411 Wilson Avenue, Newark, N. J.

Mr. Speed emphasizes that the need for tin is none the less critical and urges every housewife to save and prepare her tin cans and see that they are put into the war effort.



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ORTIE'S THEATRE

Friday
From the Novel by JAMES FENIMORE comes
"THE DEERSLAYER"
Starring BRUCE KELLOGG
JEAN PARKER
Selected Shorts—News

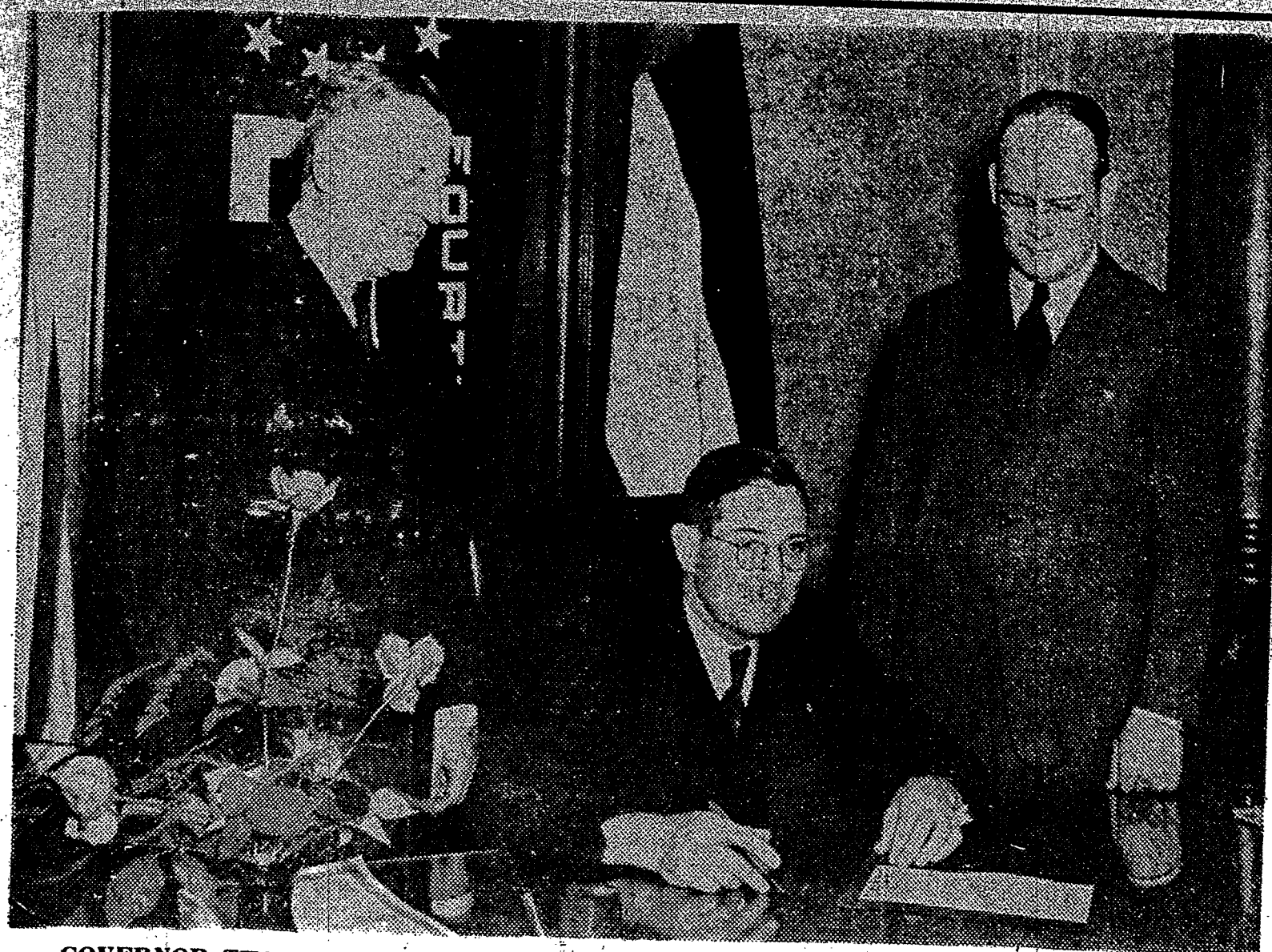
Saturday
"A TORNADO IN THE SADDLE"
RUSSELL HAYDEN and
BOB WILLS and HIS TEXAS PLAYBOYS
Also
"HIT PARADE OF 1943"
with SUSAN HAYWARD
and JOHN CARROLL
Plus
Chapter 7—"Valley of Vanishing Men"

Sunday-Monday
THE ANDREWS SISTERS in
"ALWAYS A BRIDESMAID"
with PATRIC KNOWLES
GRACE McDONALD
ANNE ROONEY
CHARLES BUTTERWORTH and
THE JIVIN' JACKS and JILLS
Selected Shorts—Latest News

Tuesday
"A SCREAM IN THE DARK"
ROBERT LOWERY
MARIE McDONALD
EDWARD S. BROPHY
JACK LA RUE
Latest News—Shorts

Wednesday-Thursday
JOHN WAYNE
CLAIRE TREVOR and
WALTER PIDGON
in "DARK COMMAND" with
ROY ROGERS
MARJORIE MAIN

New Governor's First Official Act



GOVERNOR THOMAS L. BAILEY made his first official act, upon taking the oath of office Tuesday, that of issuing a proclamation endorsing the Fourth War Loan. The new war-time executive called upon Mississippians "to meet the challenge of the Fourth War Loan with relentless work and sacrificial purchase of War Bonds until our state's \$52,000,000 goal is won." The nationwide drive was launched on the date of Gov. Bailey's inauguration. Shown above, witnessing the signing of the proclamation, are: Rex I. Brown, Chairman of the State War Finance Committee; and M. B. Swayze, Executive Manager of the War Finance Staff. An E-Bond Pennant is hanging in the background.

PULPWOOD GOAL
14,000,000 CORDS
FOR 1944

A domestic pulpwood production goal of 14,000,000 cords—1,000,000 cords more than in 1943—is the objective of the 1944 Victory Pulpwood Campaign, as was announced this week by the Victory Pulpwood Committee.

Accepting a challenge of the War Production Board to step up pulpwood production to meet increased military and essential civilian requirements, the committees said that this area will do its part to back the projected invasion of Hitler's enslaved stronghold in western Europe.

Of the 14,000,000 cords needed in 1944, the Southern WPB region must produce 6,000,000 cords.

The goals in cords for other regions are as follows:

Appalachian	1,550,000
Northeast	1,900,000
Lake States	1,450,000
Pacific Northwest	2,500,000

The total for the United States is 14,000,000.

States included in the respective regions are:

Appalachian: Pennsylvania, West Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Maryland, and Delaware.

Northeast: Maine, New Hampshire,

Vermont and New York.

Lake: Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Missouri.

South: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina and Texas.

Pacific Northwest: Oregon and Washington.

Despite critical manpower and transportation equipment shortages, James L. Madden, Deputy Director of the WPB Paper Division in charge of pulpwood production, expressed the opinion that the 1,000,000 extra cords can be obtained in 1944 if current Government-Newspaper-Industry programs are carried out.

"It will be a tough job," Mr. Madden said, "but it will not be an impossible one. The newspapers in pulpwood producing areas have been carrying on a successful drive in 27 states in cooperation with the pulpwood industry. Three Government agencies are now working together to mobilize more farm workers for off-season woods work. Many mills are cooperating in local pulpwood production drives."

"Because of the seasonal character of pulpwood operations in many areas, it is important that no time be lost now," Mr. Madden added. "Pulpwood cutting should be pushed to the utmost in months when manpower is available to offset periods when farmers will be engaged in

planting or cultivating field crops.

"Moreover, it is now that the need is greatest as America and her Allies prepare for the invasion of western Europe. A cord of pulpwood today is more important to the war effort than ten cords a year or even six months from now."

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A. & G. THEATER
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
"PROUDLY WE HAIL"

**A Most Stirring Film
Romance**

One of the most stirring film romances ever offered by Hollywood is about to capture the heart of Bay St. Louis when Paramount's "So Proudly We Hail" next Sunday and Monday makes its bow at the A. & G. Theater. The two people whose love story the picture tells are portrayed by Claudette Colbert, famous around the globe for her great acting ability and personal charm, and George Reeves, a comparative unknown, who gets his first real break as Miss Colbert's screen sweetheart.

Reeves appeared in some western films, but it took Producer-Director Mark Sandrich's experienced eye to see the possibilities in the attractive young man and give him something really worth while to do. In "So Proudly We Hail" he meets Claudette on a ship carrying nurses and soldiers to the Philippines immediately after the attack on Pearl Harbor. Claudette is one of the nurses, Reeves a soldier in the Medical Corps. The progress of their love affair, their subsequent marriage and honeymoon on the besieged island of Corregidor are reported to be absolutely tops in film entertainment.

There are two other glamorous stars in "So Proudly We Hail" in addition to Claudette Colbert. They are Paulette Goddard and Veronica Lake both of whom also appear as Army nurses and each of whom has her romance, one gay the other tragic. Paulette's love interest is portrayed by a newcomer to the screen—blond, handsome Sonny Tufts who is expected to make a terrific hit with feminine fans. Tufts was a singer in bands and musical comedy scenes and his amusing performances in this, his first picture, will probably win him many more light-hearted, romantic roles.

The love stories of the three girls are played against thrill-charged scenes of life on battle-scarred Bataan and Corregidor. The picture is, however, primarily a tribute to those gallant girls who fought side by side with their men, teasing, loving, inspiring them... and never letting them down.

Lovely Barbara Britton and Walter Abel have important roles and are sure to be hailed, along with everyone else in the picture, for such memorable performances as will definitely establish "So Proudly We Hail" in the movie hall of fame. Notice, too, the work of Mary Servoss and Ted Hecht.

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WAR RATION BOARD COLUMN

Ration Calendar for Week of January 17
PROCESSED FOODS: Green, D, E, F (Book No. 4) expire Jan. 20. Green G, H, J (Book No. 4) expire Feb. 20.
MEATS AND FATS: Brown R, S, T (Book No. 3) expire Jan. 29. Brown U (Book No. 3) valid Jan. 16, expires Jan. 29. Brown V (Book No. 3) valid Jan. 23, expires Feb. 26.
SUGAR: Sugar Stamp No. 30 (Book No. 4) good for 5 pounds, expires Mar. 31.
SHOES: Stamp No. 18 (Book No. 1) valid indefinitely. Airplane Stamp No. 1 (Book No. 3) now valid.
GASOLINE: A-9 coupon now valid, expires midnight Jan. 21. A-10 valid Jan. 22, expires Mar. 21.

Deadline Extended
 It is still not too late for retailers to make application for their 'change' tokens which will be used in the new rationing plan effective Feb. 27, but they had better hurry, the Office of Price Administration has warned. Saturday, Jan. 8, was the date originally set as the deadline, but OPA has granted a slight extension of time to enable all retailers to apply for their allotments.

Under the new plan, all ration book coupons will become good for ten points each regardless of the figure printed on them, OPA said, and retailers must have tokens to make the necessary change. Blue tokens will be used in exchange for processed foods and red tokens will be used for meats and fats OPA said.

Citrus Marmalades Point Free

The OPA announces that all citrus marmalades are point free. This reminder was issued because widely scattered reports indicated that many retailers are charging points for marmalades as well as for non-citrus marmalades, though the former are point free.

Bigger School Lunches

School children will soon be getting bigger and better lunches at their cafeterias, OPA has announced, under a new plan for increasing allotments of rationed foods for

United Gas Pipe Line Employees Helping To Put 4th War Bond Drive Over The Top

Employees of United Gas Pipe Line company and associated companies have a special interest in helping put the fourth war loan drive over the top, according to A. L. McClellan, company treasurer, who is in charge of bond sales among employees of the organization.

An advertisement appearing this week in The Echo and 350 other daily and weekly newspapers in the Gulf South gives the reason. It tells the record of "Lil Joe" one of the bombers which took part in the attack on the Ploesti oil center in Rumania which paralyzed one third of Nazi oil production. On this, the plane's 55th mission, it returned to its base on two motors and blasted beyond repair.

"Lil Joe" was piloted by Lt. J. W. Viers, one of United's men of war. Lt. Viers has been reported missing over Germany since Dec. 19. Now former fellow workers at home of Lt. Viers are paying tribute to him and other men in service by buying bonds to replace "Lil Joe" and other

QUIETLY MARRIED SATURDAY, JAN. 15

Miss Lillian Mary Lott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lott, Jr., of Kiln and Corporal Rudolph Ray Hall, Army, of Miami Florida were quietly married on Saturday, January 15, at 4:30 p. m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church Rectory, the Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch, officiating.

The bride wore a black wool suit with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of orchids.

She had as her matron of honor and only attendant her cousin Mrs. Thomas D. Adams who wore a dress of grape velvet with a corsage of white carnations.

Corporal Hall had as his best man Sergeant Thomas D. Adams.

Those present for the ceremony

were the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lott of Kiln.

Other guests were Mrs. C. E. Craft and Sam Favre, Jr. of Kiln.

The bride is a graduate of Kiln High and for the past two years has been an assistant to Mrs. Craft, superintendent of Kiln's Daughters' Hospital. She has made many friends here who are joining the Echo in best wishes for a long, happy life.

MARRIED FRIDAY AT OUR LADY OF THE GULF CHURCH

Mrs. Mabel White of New Orleans and Capt. Charles J. VanTrier, Merchant Seaman, were married quietly at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church on Friday, the Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch officiating.

Attendants were Mrs. Pearl Favre and Mr. Albert Biehl of Bay St. Louis. They were the guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biehl where a very small reception was held.

Mrs. VanTrier is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Favre of this city and was raised by her aunt and step mother Mrs. Pearl Favre.

The couple left for New Orleans where they will make their home.

ANNOUNCES MARRIAGE OF SON

Mrs. Victor Green of Lake Shore wishes to announce the marriage of her son, George, to Helen Elizabeth Ryan which took place at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Church in New Orleans, Saturday, January 15, at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Green had as her attendants Florence Swanner, formerly of Bay St. Louis, and Lester Haverty of New Orleans.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thos. F. Peyton.



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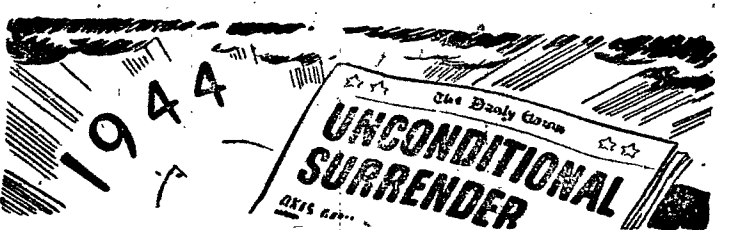
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The Goal - **VICTORY**



The Place - **EUROPE**



The Time - **THIS YEAR**



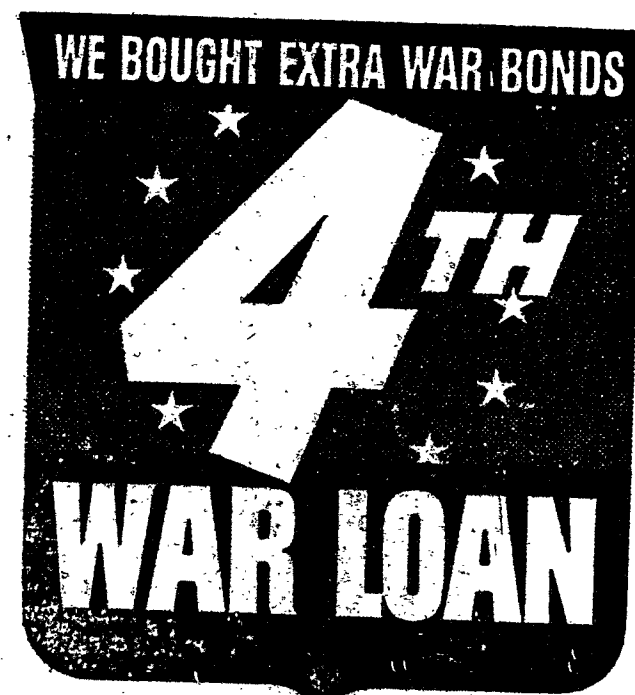
The Responsibility - **YOURS**

YOU KNOW that this year may bring great victories—if every American, civilian as well as soldier, stands loyally at his or her post. And, whatever else your duties may call for, there is one job that concerns every citizen—that concerns you: That is to help make 1944 one of the decisive years of human history. So make whatever sacrifice may be necessary to help make the 4th War Loan Drive the success it must be if we are to realize our great objectives this year.

Ask yourself honestly—how much of a sacrifice is it to give up some luxury just temporarily in order to buy the best investments in the world? When you've answered that question, buy at least one extra \$100 Bond now—at your office or plant, if possible. And if you've already bought, buy again this month—and keep 'em!

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Sellers News

Mrs. J. S. Shaw and children spent Sunday in Lumberton visiting her mother Mrs. Otha Ladner.

The people of White Cypress community are very much pleased over seeing the right way staked off, to put the R. E. A. line through there, starting from Necaise.

Mr. Albert Ladner had visitors from Keesler Field Sunday, he took them out on a hunting trip which they enjoyed very much.

The boys and girls basketball teams were very unsuccessful in the tournament at Lyman. The girls lost to Improved Petty and the boys to Gulfport High.

Petty Officer and Mrs. Ralph Saucier and baby from Galveston, Texas are visiting Mrs. Florence Saucier for a few days.

Pvt. Percy Ladner from Keesler Field visited his mother Mrs. Rose Ladner.

Catahoula News

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bounds announce the engagement of their daughter Bertha Lee to Mr. Carl Fleming of Salem.

Misses Bertha Lee and Agnes Bounds, Vivian Seals with Mr. Carl Fleming motored to Picayune Sunday evening on business.

Miss Irene Seal spent Sunday evening with Vivian Seal.

Mr. Elmer Seal an employee of Ingalls Shipbuilding Corporation of Pascagoula spent the week end with his family.

Mrs. Lillian Gabinger returned here Thursday after spending awhile with her son in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harriel of Catahoula attended the funeral of Mr. Harriel's grandmother, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. Gabriel Diaz spent Sunday at his home here.

Flat Top News

Mr. and Mrs. Mabra Eccles from Logtown, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mitchell are announcing the arrival of a son, Larry Oneal, born January 13, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee are announcing the arrival of a daughter born January 6, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Denis Osborn and daughter of Bay St. Louis, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. Francis (Goat) Lee of Jackson, Miss., visited home folks here over the week end.

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Tuesday-Wednesday, 25-26
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"THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME"
Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday, 27-28
RICHARD DIX, JANE WYATT & ALBERT DEKKER in
"THE KANSAN"

Waveland News

Bay A Bomber

This week begins a full calendar and an interesting period with everyone eager to be up and about after the rainy cold days preceding. The Fourth War Loan Bond Drive will be foremost in general interest with men and women as busy as bees in the attempt to carry the effort over the top. Members of the New Orleans Symphony Orchestra are among the many helping and have postponed their free concert which was to be given last Sunday, January 16 in Gulfport, Miss., date changed to Sunday, January 30th. Still others are busy in the March of Dimes, this great and worthy cause and already the school children of Waveland have gone over the top.

Marie Summers the efficient chef at Molleres is back on the job.

Best wishes to 2nd Class Machinist Mate Geo. Stelz. We send congratulations upon the arrival of your little daughter, Georgette Noel, born on Christmas Day. She weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces at birth. We know you are somewhere in the South Pacific. Mrs. Geo. Stelz was formerly Zelma Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carver.

Over the past week end with its unusual cheerful sunny weather came several prospective buyers for "one to five acres of land."

The Charlie Sauer dwelling on the Beach near Coleman avenue is nearing completion and it won't be long from indications.

The new year brought joy and happiness to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Garcia and family when their son John Sidney, Jr., of the U. S. Navy arrived on a surprise for a 9-day furlough. He is stationed at present at Great Lakes, Ills.

His sister Mary greeted him by having relatives and friends meet at the home of his parents on Tuesday, January 4th with a surprise party. The guests Miss Mary Dawson, Helen Tartaville, Clayton Fricke, brother Earl and family, George and Elvin. This was a happy reunion. Mr. and Mrs. Garcia have another son Morris who is somewhere in the Pacific.

More workers have joined the Kings Daughters and Sons in making surgical dressings. Very good reports are being recorded as to figures.

Mrs. Hazel Dufour Lamer has returned to her duties in defense work after her case of flu. Mary Clare Zimmerman had a slight attack losing only one day from duty. Others on the sick list are Mrs. Ernest Bourgeois and son, Fred, Mr. Geo. Howard, Mrs. Logan is back on her defense job. All are showing signs of improving health.

Corporal Sydney Bourgeois is home on furlough.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mauffray and children of Kiln, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Garriga.

Mr. Jimmie Donovan of Wisconsin, and the husband of the late Phlois Moran is here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Willys Rhodes and son Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garriga and daughter, Janice Fay of Bay St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. G. O. Garriga.

Mrs. Olivia Moran is now spending a while with Mrs. Leroy Ory.

Mr. and Mrs. Agnel Moran and family of Pass Christian visited friends and relatives here this week end.

Mrs. C. D. Mauffray is now ill with the flu.

Miss Katherine Garriga of Bay St. Louis spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. G. O. Garriga.

Pvt. Bud Ory is home on furlough to be with his mother who has been very ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Garriga and Mrs. G. O. Garriga visited relatives in Bay St. Louis Sunday.

Pfc. Wayne Mauffray is home on a seven day furlough.

Gainesville News

Sgt. Freeman Davis, who is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., spent several days with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, last week.

Mrs. Arnold Carver returned home after spending two months with her husband Pfc. Arnold Carver in So. Carolina.

Mrs. Leander Kellar and Mrs. Maggie Frierson spent Sunday afternoon here with Mrs. James Kellar.

Reverend and Mrs. Wilson T. Miller and Mrs. Howard Miller visited Mrs. Cora Schulthies last week.

Leetown News

Francis L. Lee of the U. S. Navy at Great Lakes, Illinois, is home on a ten day furlough.

Chille Lee of the U. S. Coast Guard at Portage De Sioux, Mo., is home on leave.

Miss Clara Fae Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hoda of Catahoula Sunday.

Miss Virginia Lee was home for the week end and had as her guest her schoolmate, Miss Rhoda Mae Smith of Picayune. She also entertained some of the boys and girls of this community Saturday night.

Most every home in this community is visited with the flu. We wish everyone a speedy recovery.

Mrs. George Hinton and little son George Jr., are back at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rester after spending a while with her husband in Arizona where he was stationed.

Mrs. Etha Lee who has been operating a rooming house in Pascagoula is living in Picayune, Miss., now.

Sgt. and Mrs. George Larry announce the birth of a fine boy on January 2, 1944. Mrs. Larry will be remembered as the former Miss Frances Lee.

Mrs. Dennis Necaise of Picayune spent a few days last week with Mrs. Forrest Necaise. She was accompanied home by little Miss Marquerite Ann who remained until Sunday.

Mrs. Montors Lee was the guest of Mrs. Forrest Necaise Monday.

Francis Lee of the U. S. N. of Great Lakes Naval Station has finished his basic training and is home with his parents for a few days.

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666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

Kiln News

Miss Lillian Lott was married to Cpl. Johnny Hall, Keesler Field, Saturday evening in Bay St. Louis with Father A. J. Gmelch performing the ceremony. Lillian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Lott of Kiln. The best man and bridesmaid were Staff Sergeant Thomas Adams and Mrs. Adams a cousin of bride. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Lott, Sr. and son Jesse, Mrs. C. E. Craft and son E. C. Jr., and County Supt. of Education Sam Favre, Jr.

Mrs. Cens Saucier is now sick with pneumonia but seems to be holding her own in spite of her advanced age.

Mrs. Ester Pepperdene and son Kenny spent Monday in Kiln, visiting her parents Judge and Mrs. Frutus Fuente.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Travica of Picayune and Pvt. and Mrs. Herman Mazarkis of Waveland spent Sunday with Supervisor Lander Necaise.

Pvt. Herbert Shiyon is now stationed in North Africa.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Johnny Hall Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Clara Lott in Kiln. She received many beautiful and useful gifts and there were many friends in attendance.

Logtown News

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jopes and family of Picayune and Miss Mae Jopes spent last Sunday with Mrs. Pearl Jopes here. Miss Jopes is employed in the Picayune High School and usually spends each week end with her mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackson and daughter of Houma, La., spent last week-end at their home here. On Sunday they motored to Pascagoula and visited Mrs. Mitchell's brother who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Maffe, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Catalanotto of

New Orleans, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Marks Wilkinson and son of Picayune and S. C. Joseph Bourgeois of Morgan City, La., and San Diego, Calif., visited Mrs. McArthur during the week end.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Deboe entertained the Baptist Bible Study Class in her home.

Mr. Sidney Ohi's spent last week with his family here.

Pvt. John E. Giveans of Camp Van Dorn, Miss., visited his parents and friends during the week end.

Pvt. Charles Littles is home on furlough, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Emmett Wyman and son visited Mr. Wyman in Venice, La., this week.

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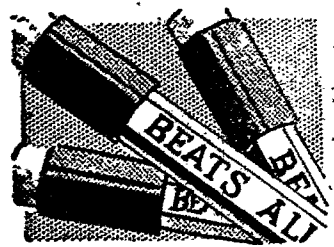
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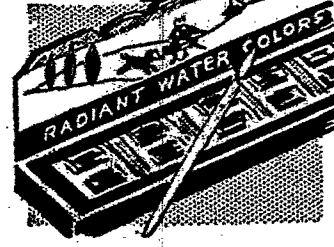
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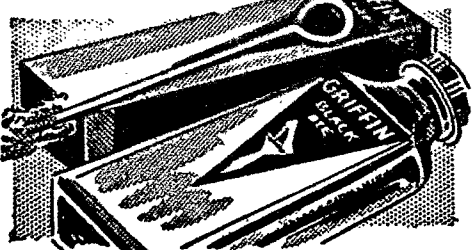
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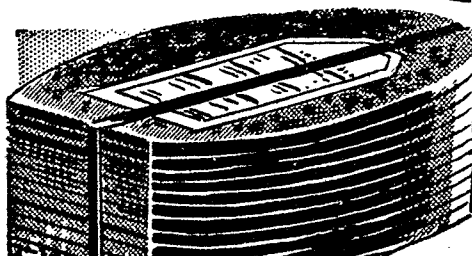
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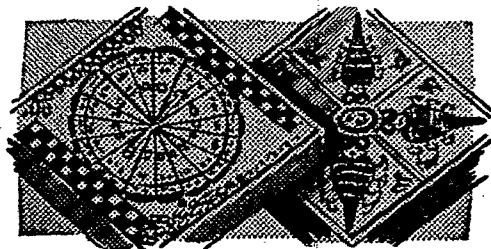
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The Sea Coast Echo

City Echoes

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sumral have returned from a trip to Laurel where they visited relatives.

—Technical Sergeant T. A. Quintini, Army, has returned to St. Louis after a short visit to his relatives here.

—Mrs. C. E. Evans and son Robert of Texas City, Texas, are guests here of Mrs. Evans sister Mrs. E. J. Lacoste.

—Mesdames Josie Dankin, W. E. Dee and Fred Wright, of Gulfport, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans on Thursday evening.

—Jos. Parrillo II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Parrillo of Destrehan left for camp this week. He has joined the armored tank corps.

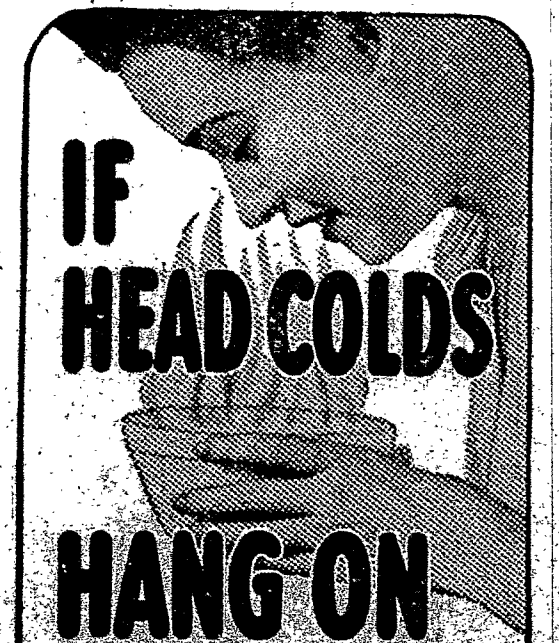
—Mrs. Charles Giametta and little son, Charles, Jr., of Biloxi, is spending a week with her relatives and friends. She is the former Miss Josephine Chiniche.

—Raymond Talbot is back on his route after a spell of Ptomaine poison—he looks a little under par but is back at work to the pleasure of his many friends and customers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark spent Tuesday in New Orleans. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. K. Reynolds and Mrs. John C. Walker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Ford of Baton Rouge spent Sunday and Monday here as guests of Mrs. Ford's aunts the Misses Eugenie and Mellis Spotorno.

—Those attending the Regional Conference of the American Red Cross at Hattiesburg from Hancock County were Mr. Walter J. Gex, Mrs. Roger Boh, Mrs. Marian Anderson and Mrs. Louis Maumus. Plans for the coming War Bond Drive were discussed.



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—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Genin, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blaize, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ortte Miss Mildred Namias, attended the inaugural ceremonies for Governor Bailey on Tuesday.

—Mr. Ed Simon has returned to Bay St. Louis and is located at the home of Mrs. Octave Fayard. Mr. Simon anticipates going back into business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wentworth and little son, Lloyd George Wentworth, Jr., of Hattiesburg were guests on Sunday of Mr. Wentworth's mother Mrs. Daisy Wentworth and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hart.

—James Lee Austin, Coxswain of the U. S. Navy, who has been overseas for six months, recently enjoyed a 15 day leave with his parents of Gulfport Miss. He also was the guest of Miss Beatrice Chiniche of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Watts announce the birth of a son, Alfred Chapman Watts on Tuesday, January 18 at the Kings Daughters Hospital. Mrs. Watts is the former Miss Virginia Chapman of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Aiken and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson came out from New Orleans for a few days last week. They came to attend the annual parish meeting and church supper of the Episcopal church on Thursday evening.

—Captain and Mrs. William Ross Pitcairn, Jr., are here from Texas to spend Capt. Pitcairn's two weeks furlough with Mrs. Pitcairn's parents Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans. Mrs. William Ross Pitcairn, Sr., of Pittsburg is also a guest of the Evans.

—A. J. Glover, U. S. Coast Guard stationed at Louisville, Kentucky, is spending his leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glover. Miss Verda Brown of Alexandria, Louisiana, is also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glover.

—Lukey Benigno, S 2/C U. S. Navy stationed at Great Lakes, training station, Chicago, Illinois, recently enjoyed a ten day leave with his sister and brother-in-law in Washington St. He has been in service since July 1, 1943.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rosenheim of Corpus Christi, Texas, are guests of Mrs. Rosenheim's brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Scharff. The group were guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Maufrey for a trip to New Orleans on a sight seeing tour and dinner.

—Lieutenant Chester Brummett, Army Flight Surgeon, and Mrs. Brummett (Dr. Catherine Bell Brummett) and their two young daughters, Jane and Betty of Middleton, Kentucky, are guests of Mrs. Brummett's uncle and aunt Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp.

—The friends of Mrs. Richard Shadoin are glad to have news of her constant improvement. Mrs. Shadoin went to the home of her mother and sister at Birmingham and was stricken with pneumonia and was in the hospital for some time. She is now at the home of her sister Mrs. Wilbur W. Sutter, at 3419 Windsor Blvd., Homewood, Birmingham, Ala.

WEDDING OF INTEREST AT PASS, CHRISTIAN

Miss Ann Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of this city and PFC. Robert Borden Adam, U. S. Coast Guard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bidwell Adam of Pass Christian were married on Monday, January 17, at high noon at Trinity Episcopal Church the Reverend Warwick Aiken officiating at the candlelight service.

The church was decorated with the tall potted palms and white flowers with the seven branched candelabra with the tapers which were lighted for the service. The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a becoming wedding dress of white mousseline-de-soire over white tulle made with the bouffant skirt, high neck with a yoke of Chantilly lace, puffed sleeves and a long train. The finger tip over-the-face veil of illusion was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white sweet peas centered with orchids. The bride had as her maid of honor Miss Catherine Helzm of New Orleans who wore white chiffon with a blue brocade basque and carried pink sweet peas. Her bridesmaid was Miss Barbara Reed of New Orleans who wore blue

chiffon and carried the pink sweet peas.

Private Adam had as his best man his brother Caton Adam of Pass Christian and as his groomsmen Don Dumas of Memphis.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Bay St. Louis to approximately seventy-five guests from New Orleans and the Coast cities.

Receiving with Mrs. Bell and the bride party was Mrs. Adam, mother of the bridegroom. The house was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums and the bride's table was covered with a white banquet cloth, centered with the three tiered wedding cake which was surrounded with silver containers holding white flowers. Here the bride cut her cake.

The bride who is a former resident of New Orleans attended McGee's private school for girls and All Saints College.

Pvt. Adam is a graduate of the Pass Christian High School and attended the University of Mississippi but left after two years to enter the service. He is stationed at Miami, Florida, where they will reside.

For traveling the bride wore a gold wool suit with brown accessories.

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VISITS HOME

Lieutenant (j. g.) Francis W. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson were recent visitors to Lt. Nelson's mother, Mrs. F. J. Nelson.

He has served with the Merchant Marine for several years and has seen plenty of action with some hazardous experiences. He served with the ATS and was recently commissioned Lieutenant (j. g.) in the Navy. He was presented with service bars for services rendered in the Atlantic and Pacific War zones by the Maritime Service.

Lt. Nelson is a graduate of Bay High and did active work on the school paper and received recognition for this work.

ENTERTAIN AT SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seal entertained at supper on Thursday evening complimentary to Mrs. John Walker of Jackson, a guest here of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Reynolds.

Their guest list included besides Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Reynolds, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Boh, Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Carriere, Mr. and Mrs. T. Robin, Miss Elsie Mae Smith and Miss Virginia Seal.

MRS. OCTAVE FAYARD CELEBRATES 87TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Octave Fayard celebrated her 87th birthday on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Parrillo, Miss Gloria Parrillo and Jos. Parrillo II of Destrehan, La., came over to be with Mrs. Fayard. A family reunion was to have been held celebrating Mrs. Fayard's birthday, but a son, Mr. Otto Fayard was not able to get away from his telephone responsibilities. This reunion will be held later when possibly Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fayard of Atlanta, Ga., will be present.

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